ANNEXURE.

Leave rules in respect of the temporary employees of the Bombay Billet Section of the Sandal Koti at Bangalore.

1. The temporary employees of the Bombay Billet Section may be granted ten days leave on full pay for every year of approved service, which may be accumulated for 30 days. But such accumulation will be permitted only in the case of employees who have put in a continuous service of five years.

2. Special leave with pay to the extent required but not exceeding 30 days may also be granted in each case of injury arising out of work in the section. This leave cannot however be combined with the ordinary leave mentioned above.

3. The other conditions regarding the grant of leave applicable to the temporary employees of the Government Saw Mills at Shimoga and the Wood Preservation Plant, Bhadravati, will also apply to the temporary employees of the Bombay Billet Section of the Bangalore Sandal Koti.

DEVELOPMENT SECRETARIAT

Non-official members of the Stores Purchase Committee for 1940.

READ—

Government Order No. G. 4937-46—G. M. 81-38-2, dated 21st November 1938, nominating *Lokasevasakta Rao Bahadur* Mr. B. K. Garudachar and Mr. S. K. Narasimhaiya as non-official members of the Stores Purchase Committee for a period of one year from 1st December 1938.

2. Government Order No. G. 7765-76— G. M. 81-38-4, dated 10th February 1939, nominating Mr. Kenneth Aston, B.Sc., Tech, M.Sc, M.I.E.E, Professor of Electrical Technology, Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore, as member of the Stores Purchase Committee for a period of one year.

ORDER No. G. 7233-44—G. M. 103-39-2, DATED BANGALORE, THE 14TH FEBRUARY 1940.

Government are pleased to renominate the gentlemen noted below as non-official members of the Stores Purchase Committee for a further period of one year from 1st December 1939.

1. *Lokasevasakta Rao Bahadur* Mr. B. K. Garudachar.
2. Mr. S. K. Narasimhaiya.
3. Mr. Kenneth Aston, B.Sc., Tech., M.Sc., M.I.E.E.

C. E. NORONHA,
Secretary to Government,
Development Department.

Report on the Administration of the Krishnaraj Sagar and Allied Works for the year 1938-39.

READ—

Correspondence ending with letter No. 2371—K. S. S., dated 23rd November 1939, from the Chief Engineer, Krishnaraj Sagar Works, forwarding the Administration Report of the Krishnaraj Sagar and allied Works for the year 1938-39.

ORDER No. G. 7135-47—G. M. 76-39-3, DATED BANGALORE, THE 10TH FEBRUARY 1940.

Recorded.

2. *Diwan Bahadur* N. N. Ayyangar continued to be Chief Engineer, Krishnaraj Sagar Works and Secretary to Government, Krishnaraj Sagar Works, till the afternoon of 30th June 1939, when he proceeded on leave preparatory to retirement from service. He was succeeded by Mr. N. Sarabhoja, Superintending Engineer, Irrigation Circle, Krishnaraj Sagar Works.

3. During the year 1938-39, three separate sub-divisions were formed, one with headquarters at Mandya for the construction of Tract Roads in the Irwin Canal area; the second at Kestur for the restoration of the Kestur Tank and its feeder channel with an "Ane" at its head and for the opening of the Left Bank Channel of the Keelaghatta "Ane" across the river Shimsha; and the third at Garudanahalli for the execution of the remodelling works of the Maddur Branch and the Tunnel works of the Shimsha Branch.

The Special Land Acquisition Office, Krishnaraj Sagar Works, formed in November 1936 at Mysore for the acquisition of properties coming under submersion of the Krishnaraj Sagar, was continued during the year.

4. *The Dam Works.*—Against the final grant of Rs. 3,78,145 for Dam Works, the outlay incurred during the year was Rs. 3,39,147, which brings the total expenditure to date to Rs. 2,50,03,645.

All the main works connected with the Dam and sluices were completed. The erection of a high pressure fountain behind the Dam and the illumination of the same with flood lights, the further improvements and beautification of the Brindavan gardens, the construction of a rest house and a new building for the hotel at Krishnaraj Sagar, are a few of the important capital works carried out during the year.

The regulation of water due to Madras was, as usual, conducted satisfactorily.

5. *Brindavan Gardens.*—The Brindavan Gardens, with the fountains illuminated, continued to be popular. During the year 134,476 pedestrians visited the gardens in addition to those who visited in their vehicles. The toll collections over the Dam amounted to Rs. 16,310.

6. *The Irwin Canal Works*—Against the final grant of Rs. 11,06,980 (excluding receipts on account of acreage cotribution), the expenditure incurred during the year was Rs. 11,21,749 including suspense. The total outlay on the canal works from the commencement comes to Rs. 1,78,55,096 to the end of June 1939. The Irwin Canal and its distributaries opened to the end of June 1939 provided water-supply for a total area of 65,903 acres, including 10,180 acres of Government waste lands. The extent actually under irrigation at the end of June 1939 was 51,630 acres against 48,025 acres secured in the previous year. There was good progress under the Shimsha Branch Channel including the tunnel works. The execution of the several sub-branches of the Irwin Canal, *viz.*, Lokasara, Bebbakavadi, Thuraganur and Nidaghatta made good progress.

7. *Krishnaraj Sagar Working Committee.*—The Krishnaraj Sagar Working Committee dealt with several problems connected with the development of irrigation under the Irwin Canal Tract. Three additional non-official members were appointed to the Committee.

8. *Other Works.*—The Special Roads Committee met twice during the year. A Special Sub-Division was formed and as many as 60 roads were selected for execution in the order of urgency. The outlay incurred on roads during the year was Rs. 1,83,324.

With a view to meet the growing demand for water-supply at the two generating stations at Sivasamudram and Shimsha, a scheme for constructing a reservoir across the river Kabbini at Hullahalli for the first stage of the reservoir costing about Rs. 53 lakhs for storing about 7,210 millions cubic feet of water is under consideration.

9. *Grant and Outlay.*—Against a final grant of Rs. 23,67,971 for the year 1938-39 the aggregate expenditure was Rs. 23,42,058.

10. *Distinguished Visitors.*—Their Excellencies Lord and Lady Linlithgow, Prince and Princess Louis Ferdinand of Prussia, Doctor and Mrs. Ralph Harlow of the U. S. A., Mr. Lloyd Williams of the "Times," London, and Prince Sri Jayachamarajendra Wadiyar were among the distinguished visitors to the Brindavan Gardens during the year.

The work of the department was satisfactory.

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